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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **AKIYAMA, Tomoyuki**

Group Art Unit: **2633**

Serial No.: **09/963,709**

Examiner: **Dalzid E. Singh**

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For. **OPTICAL TIME-DIVISION MULTIPLEX SIGNAL PROCESSING APPARATUS  
AND METHOD, OPTICAL TIME-DIVISION MULTIPLEX SIGNAL RECEIVER**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: June 21, 2005

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2005 for one-month, from June 10, 2005 to July 10, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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